TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1651 - SB 1597

February 8, 2016

SUMMARY OF BILL: Relative to civil proceedings under Titles 16, 20, 27-30, 32, 34, 54, 66, and 69, deletes references to "persons adjudicated incompetent" and substitutes "persons who lack capacity to understand their legal rights and liabilities".

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The bill does not make any substantive changes to the law; it only changes the terminology used to describe persons in legal proceedings that lack the capacity to understand their legal rights and liabilities.
- It is assumed that the bill will not significantly impact state or local governmental entities.
- The Administrative Office of the Courts and the Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities confirm that the bill will not significantly impact their operations.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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